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Police stay

Altona police station would have been closed last Sunday if a last-minute guarantee of overtime pay had not been made by the Chief Secretary, Sir Arthur Rylah.

Sergeant H. Day, officer-in-charge at Altona, said yesterday he contemplated having to close down.

He added: "But arrangements were made by the district superintendent for us to keep open."

Sir Arthur announced late last week that an extra \$160,000 had been made available to pay police overtime this financial year.

This was over and above the \$250,000 previously allocated.

The Altona station, which not a 24-hour station is manned by seven men, including Sergeant Day and a senior constable, and has one vehicle at its disposal.

Requests for additional staff were met with one additional member being assigned to Altona about six months ago.

An argument against extra staff is that a new station at Altona North is to be built.

Work on the new sta-

tion was due to start this year. Now it seems lack of money could delay its opening even more.

Sergeant Day said the station was closed on many evenings because of a general staffing problem.

He added "but most other stations of our size are in the same boat."

Sergeant Day said he would like to keep the station open till at least midnight every night, but this was impossible without at least three extra men.

He added: "With the station being closed in the evenings a lot of people are frustrated when they ring to lodge complaints. I have to refer many to D24."

Sergeant Day said his men had to perform duties at other stations and race duty, and were not always on call at Altona.

At this time of the year when the beach season seems to have ended, and we are already into autumn, one would not expect to find a sunbather with a blue sky and a calm green sea in the background. But Lyn Knight, 20, took advantage of the final few days of sweltering heat we have had over the past week, and made this pretty picture at Altona beach.

Letters complain on dirt, noise

Altona Council was inundated with irate letters from people complaining about odors, smoke and noise, Cr. W. L. J. Crofts said at last week's council meeting.

He added: "They claim there is no lessening in this problem."

"Sleep is impossible for some because of the deafening noises, and they are almost suffocating in their bedrooms from the smoke."

"Others have complained about the black fallout on their freshly washed clothes."

"Council should have the power to enforce heavier fines and even to close down offending factories."

"One woman broke down because of the awful conditions near her home."

"They've beaten me, I have to get out," she said.

"It's sad that people who put their lives savings into their home should be forced to move."

"Council will hold a public meeting so Altona citizens will support an approach to the Minister for Health, Mr. Rossiter."

Principal is sports head

Altona North High School principal Mr Roy W. Roberts has been elected president of the Metropolitan High Schools Sports Association.

The association comprises 112 affiliated high schools in eight divisions.

Mr. Roberts has been connected with the association as sportsmaster and principal since 1948, when he transferred from primary to secondary teaching.

The 11 member schools of the association then were Williamstown, Coburg, Essendon, Dandenong, Frankston, Hampton, MacRobertson

Girls, Melbourne Boys, Mordialloc, Northcote and University.

Mr. Roberts said one of the major changes he had noticed over the past 15 years was the almost pathetic approach to sport by many teenagers. But he does not condemn them. He added: "with so many demands being made on them, teenagers do not have the time to make balanced judgments on their future."

"Their parents, or some of my generation, would be better off helping them, than knocking them."

Mr. Roberts has taught many notable sport personalities including Ashley Cooper (tennis), Ian Huntington and Bob Rowan (cricket), Raelene Boyle and Noel Clough (athletics) and Brian, Warren (diving).

Altona North will have three representatives in the Victorian team for the Australian Athletic Championships later this month.

Jenny Davidson, will compete in the senior and junior long jump, in Sydney as will Giannina Sardi in the junior discuss.

Manfred Rokhamper, who has the best javelin performance of any 16-year-old boy in Australia, will compete in the Under-19 event in Brisbane.

In addition, Patricia Knight, who gained two gold and three silver medals in the Victorian Kyak Championships, will represent Victoria in the Australian Championships later in March.

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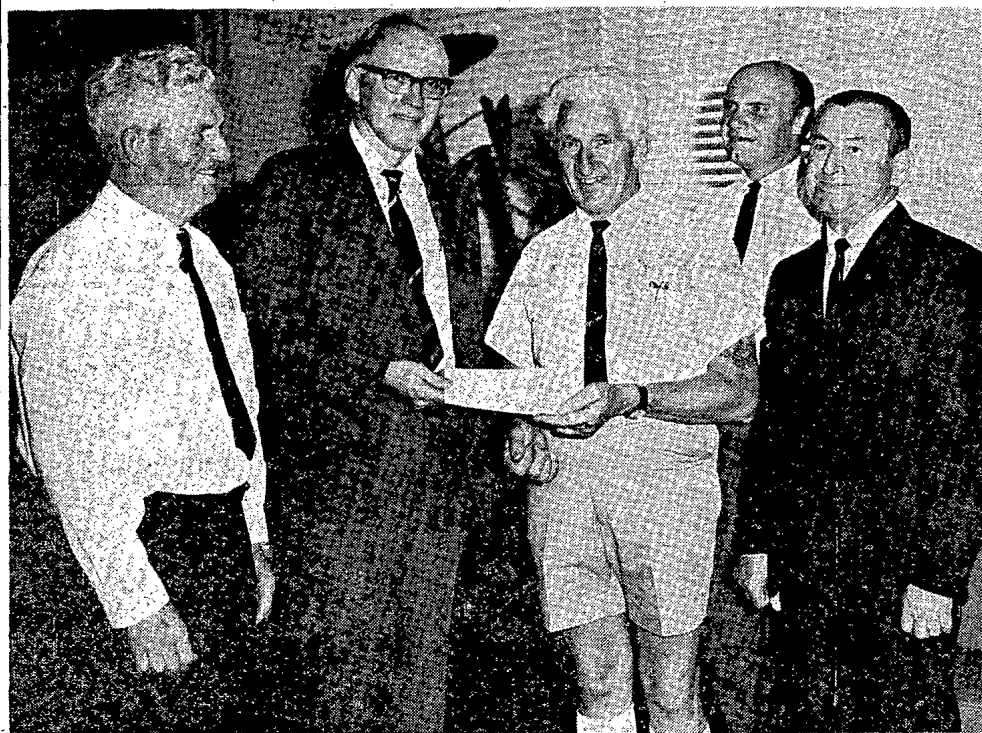
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CITY OF ALTONA DOG ACT 1970

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Dogs owned by pensioners	50 cents
"Seeing Eye" Dogs	No charge
Dogs otherwise owned	Two dollars

Alsatians, irrespective of ownership, are subject to an additional fee of \$15 as determined by Section 7 (1) Dog Act, 1970.

Registration must be made at the Civic Offices, 115 Civic Parade, Altona by 10th April 1971, when registration certificate and tag will be issued.

James W. Waters,
TOWN CLERK.

CITY OF ALTONA

SMALLPOX VACCINATION ALTONA NORTH

Smallpox vaccination of infants who have completed a course of Sabin will be conducted at the Altona North Youth Hall, Marion Street on Friday afternoon, March 5, 1971 at 1.30 p.m.

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The Altona Petrochemical Company last Friday donated \$100 toward Altona Life Saving Club's boat appeal.

The appeal, launched some months ago, now stands at \$288.57.

Funds will be used to buy a patrol boat equipped with a two-way radio and other safety equipment.

APC general manager, Mr. D. E. McMillen presented the cheque to Life Saving Club president Mr. R. Edwards.

● Pictured at the presentation, are from left, Mr. Ron Courtot (APC safety

co-ordinator), Mr. McMillen, Mr. Edwards, Mr. N. Slater (Life Saving Club secretary) and Mr. Bill Smith (an APC employee and past life saving secretary).

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By Michael Stevens

A North Altona professional skin-diver is one of four men who last week set out on a 15-day, 7000-mile return trip to the Trobriand Islands in a twin-engine Piper Commanche.

The islands are 100 miles off the northern coast of New Guinea. The men hope to film the trip as a documentary and sell it overseas.

The Altona man is Fred Glasbrenner, 34, of 88 May Street, North Altona.

He will make the trip together with his partner, Rimantis Statkus, 30, of Flat 12, 20 Eldridge Street Footscray; John Litchen, 39, of Benbow Street, Yarraville (a part time photographer), and Theo Loenen, of Nunawading.

Loenen is the pilot of the four-seater, twin-engine Piper Commanche, chartered for the trip.

The men hope to take a kilometre of film (3500 ft.) which will eventually be cut down into a 50 minute documentary. It will include shots of the Polynesian people who inhabit the islands, and underwater shots.

One could not imagine a more cosmopolitan bunch to set out on such an expedition, but judging from previous experiences, each has adventurer blood running through his veins.

Fred Glasbrenner, who

incidentally is married to John's sister Zara (an original Lido dancer), was born in America of German parents.

He made headlines in Melbourne in 1956 when he and two friends pedalled from Germany for the Olympics.

"We had dinner with Nehru and Queen Soraya among others and President Sukarno paid our fare to Australia," Fred recalled.

His skin-diving partner, Rimantis Statkus, is Lithuanian, but was naturalised recently.

He hopes to travel to America with his wife Julie in mid-April to see his parents after a 12-year absence.



Armed to the hilt with baggage before they load on to the Piper Commanche at Essendon Airport are from left, John Litchen, Fred Glasbrenner, Rimantis Statkus and Theo Loenen.

John Litchen, who runs Williamstown Dry Cleaners, in partnership with his brother, was born in Williamstown of Greek parents.

He has been overseas for three of the past five years, and managed to see the Mexico Olympics by getting a job playing drums in Acapulco. John has also had an 11-week stint at the Lido as a professional entertainer.

Theo Loenen, who has joined the party on a four-way split basis, is Dutch-born and bred.

He was perhaps the instigator of the trip. It came about while Theo was flying joy flights at Portarlington. The others were looking at a travel brochure of the Trobriand Islands thinking what a good idea it would be to go there for a holiday.

Theo butted in with "Why not?", and the trip was born.

Cost of the trip will be around \$2000, which includes \$1200 for the charter of the plane, but whether the sale of the film makes it a profitable venture is not the boys' main worry.

The fact that they've attempted such a trip in what Rimantis' wife Julie aptly described as "no more than a little mix-master" at a minimum of expense, will be satisfaction enough.

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'Star' series as a book?

Mr. E. W. Roberts, principal of Altona North High School wants to see the recently concluded series of 'Star' articles on the history of land development in Altona published in book form.

In a letter to the council he said:

"I have read with much interest 'A History of Land Development' published each week in the Altona Star and I hope that some way will be found to publish these chapters in book form."

"I feel the citizens of the City of Altona should be very proud of their achievements and that Mr. Allan Clark should be congratulated on his effort in recording the history of this city. In booklet form, such an account should appeal to the Altona citizens and would be invaluable to local school libraries."

The Town Clerk, Mr. Tim Waters said that a number of people expressed interest in Mr. Clark's contributions to Altona Star and it could well make an attractive and informative booklet.

Arrangements have been made to obtain a quotation from Kiema Press.

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3. Smoothly sweep fingers from nostrils to temples again a "lifting" movement.

4. Now around outer cheek line. Placing fingers on temples thumbs together under skin, slide thumbs gently up to temples.

5. Using more pressure, place fingers together on centre forehead, draw firmly outward to temples, this movement irons out frown and depression lines.

6. Again with fingers, commencing at upper lid, rotate in small firm circles out around mouth and in together under bottom lip on chin. Feel the easing of tension around the mouth area immediately.

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DICKENSON'S DOG FIGHTS

"I've been mixed up in a lot of dog fights over the years, but don't put that in," confided Bill Dickenson. (pictured).

But what Bill didn't add was that because of those dog fights he had more to do with the progress of Altona than perhaps any other man living today.

The annexation of Altona from Werribee, the making of the first standard street, the electrification of the railway line from Newport and the granting of water reticulation were all major issues in which Bill played a vital role.

He has also been connected with St. Mary's Church since its inception and was involved politically behind the scenes in acquiring land where the Altona post office now stands.

We spoke to Bill at the Elderly Citizens' Centre in Sargood Street where he spends most of his time now since the death of his wife Nellie, 18 months ago.

PROUDEST

A silver-haired, craggy-faced man with an inimitable character about him, and a man who certainly belies his 85 years.

Bill has lived in Altona for the past 50 years. He formed the Altona branch of the A.L.P. in 1923 and served in every position excluding secretary until the split in 1955.

Now he's president of the local DLP branch, but

is not politically active as he used to be.

One of his proudest possessions is a gold, engraved watch given to him for 50 years' service with British Australia Tobacco.

But he's only been retired for the past 12 years. "By arrangement with the company I stayed on until I was 73," he explained.

Bill's memories of Altona go back to the days of hurricane lamps, when streets were made of pitches and when Altona was known as the Cinderella of the western district.

Bayview Street where he lives was the first standard street built in Altona.

It came about when Bill's wife Nellie with three or four other women journeyed to Werribee for a council meeting.

Bill said: "It was a day meeting and we as workers couldn't afford to take the time off."

HEADLINES

That deputation made headlines in a daily newspaper and the street was constructed. "With pitches, between the rail-

way line and Civic Parade, by Pavey Brothers."

The electrification of the line from Newport came to Altona in 1925.

"I walked the streets putting people on the Werribee electoral roll for

By MICHAEL STEVENS

the express purpose of the electrification," Bill said.

"We were successful in removing the sitting member, replacing him with a Labor man, and then Prendergast, who was Premier for a short time, put the legislation through."

As a member of the Altona Progress Association, Bill was the only one who showed up at a MMBW meeting to campaign for water reticulation.

BELLOWED

"I bellowed out how about giving us water in Altona, and shot straight out the door," he said with a grin. "That was the start of it because it was on the records."

St. Mary's Church was

once a discarded school-room on wheels.

He said: "It was brought here in two sections from Williamstown, carted by 20 horses along the road by the old racecourse (Kororoit Creek Road)."

ANNEXATION

On the annexation question, Bill was one of those who went round with a petition, but we missed both times he said.

was planted and it was Nonetheless the seed only a matter of time before it came about.

On the post office, Bill recalls how political pressure was brought to bear and how in turn the sitting member managed to acquire the land from a retired Williamstown bookmaker.

Two of Bill's five children, Nellie (Mrs. Arnold) and Pat (Mrs. Tuckett), live in Altona. He also has three sons, William, John and Daniel.

● Bill is known throughout Altona as a good neighbor and citizen, a man who always had the city's interests at heart. We couldn't find any argument in that image.



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THREATENED WIFE, SMASHED WINDOWS — COURT IS TOLD

A husband and wife attended a marriage guidance and psychiatric sessions for some time before the husband allegedly assaulted his wife with a knife, Williamstown Court was told last week.

Ian Geard, of Medford Street, Altona, was charged with having been drunk and disorderly, having assaulted his wife with a weapon and having caused wilful damage.

Mr. Clancy, SM, fined him \$50 on the assault charge, and placed him on a \$50 good behavior bond for wilful damage.

The third charge was proved but dismissed.

Mrs. Shirley Pauline Geard, of Medford Street, Altona, told the court that on February 8 this year she was watering the garden when her husband arrived home.

Mrs. Geard said that he became very abusive to her, punched her and pulled her hair.

She added that he took a carving knife and prodded her with it.

Mrs. Geard said her husband dictated her movements while he held the knife.

She said he made her go onto the front lawn and pulled off the top of her bathing suit.

The court was told that Geard allowed her to get some clothes and then ordered her to get into the car and drive away.

Instead she walked over to her neighbors.

Mrs. Geard said that while she was walking away her husband began to smash the windows of the car.

She told the court that damage to the car was estimated at \$155.

In reply to a question from the Police Prosecutor, Senior Constable Nunn, Mrs. Geard admitted that her husband punched her on the body with closed fists.

She said she could smell alcohol on his breath, and he admitted he had been drinking.

Under cross-examination, Mrs. Geard said her marriage had deteriorated over the past three or four years since she held a job.

She said that at the request of her husband's psychiatrist she attended sessions with him and her husband.

The court was told that the car Geard damaged was registered in Mrs. Geard's name, although the initial payment and several other payments were made by Geard.

First Constable Geoff McKinnon of the police mobile traffic section, Brunswick, told the court that when he was called to the house in Altona on February 8, he found Geard arguing loudly with his wife.

McKinnon alleged that Geard was unsteady on

his feet, and his eyes were bloodshot.

McKinnon said he had to grapple on the ground with Geard before arresting him for being drunk and disorderly.

He said that Geard admitted smashing the car windows, but said the car was his, so he could smash it.

Mr. Clancy, in finding the wilful damage charge proved, said that because Geard made payments on the car, did not indicate that he owned it.

He placed Geard on a 12-month good behavior bond.

The charge of having been found drunk and disorderly was proved but dismissed.

On the assault charge, Mr. Clancy said he was convinced that Geard had only threatened his wife with the knife.

● He fined him \$50 in default seven days gaol.

STATISTICS — THE TRUTH ?

More than one-third of all drivers in Australia—in fact 1,480,661—were fined for traffic offences last year.

In the past 15 years the number of motor vehicles in Australia has doubled from 2,246,000 to 4,586,000 and new cars are coming on the road at the rate of 1500 a day.

These remarkable statistics were given by Mr. E. Colin Davis, an executive of the Goodyear Tyre and Rubber Co. (Australia) Ltd.

Mr. Davis said the 1970 Australian Year Book revealed there were 2614 million phone calls a year made in Australia at the rate of 4974 every minute of the day.

Each year the PMG Department handles 2700 million articles and lottery sales now exceed \$100 million a year.

Less cosmetics are being used although the number of women is increasing.

Face powder production was down 78,000 lb. on the previous year and lipstick down 2000 lb.

Other interesting statistics were:

● People from 51 different countries were nationalised in Australia last year and most of these came from Greece.

● There were 4867 sets of twins, 69 sets of triplets, eight sets of quadruplets and five sets of quin-

uplets born in this country last year.

● There are now almost exactly as many television sets as radio receivers in Australia, with 2,649,457 of the former and 2,630,212 of the latter.

NEW LAWYER

Local man, Mr. Colin Hillman, of Maidstone Street, Altona, was admitted to practise as a barrister and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria last Monday.

Mr. Hillman was one of a record number of newly qualified lawyers to be admitted at a ceremony held before the Full Court.

He was educated at Altona Primary and Williamstown High Schools and studied law part-time at Melbourne University for six years.



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The Minister for Labor and National Service, Mr. Snedden, presenting the Managing Director's Industrial Safety trophy at BP (Australia), Spotswood last Friday. Ron Kers of Williamstown is all smiles as he holds the trophy and shares a joke with Mr. Snedden.

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Talks soon on work safety

A national conference on industrial safety will be convened this year in September.

The Minister for Labor and National Service, Mr. B. M. Snedden, said this last Friday, at Spotswood.

Mr. Snedden was presenting the BP managing director's National Industrial Safety Award to BP's Spotswood and Altona installations.

Mr. Snedden said: "All of us in our subconscious minds are aware of the cost and tragedy of industrial accidents."

"But it is important that our appreciation of the depressing reality is brought to full consciousness and we are motivated to take some positive action about the problem."

"The seriousness of the problem of industrial safety is demonstrated by the fact that industrial accidents cause losses of about 3½ million man-days a year."

"This lost time is equivalent to 14,000 people constantly absent from the workforce."

"Apart from lost production and physical damage, industrial accidents are costing more than \$100 million a year in compensation payments."

"Even more appalling than the material cost is the cost to human happiness and the waste of human potential stemming from work injury, maimings, amputations, loss of any faculties and death."

"The fact is that the great majority of industrial accidents are avoidable."

"For these reasons I am convening a national conference on industrial safety in September this year."

"It will provide an opportunity for representatives of government, employers, trade unions and voluntary bodies concerned with industrial safety to determine how to grapple with this serious problem in the future."

"While the safety record of Australian industry is clearly capable of considerable improvement, there are many companies that have achieved outstanding success in keeping their accident rate extremely low."

"Some companies are dedicated to that task and over the years have set an example of what can be done to build up a safety record comparable with any in the world."

"In doing so they show what can be done when management and workers jointly commit themselves to making accident prevention effective."

"BP is one of these committed companies and its achievement is significant. Its management and staff deserve congratulations for their attitude and vigilance."

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It was the second time a Victorian installation had won the award since its inception in 1965. The previous Victorian winner was Port Melbourne installation, this year's runner-up.

Odds Wrong side drive

The driver of a car which travelled on the wrong side of Kororoit Creek Road was fined \$50 and had his probationary driver's licence cancelled in Williamstown Court last Thursday.

The driver, Martin Janas, of 235 Main Road, West St. Albans, did not appear in court.

Constable Les Kirby, of West Heidelberg police, told the court he followed Janas' car along Kororoit Creek Road, on January 23.

He said Janas drove with one wheel either side of the white line in the middle of the road, and then drove so that the wheels on the passenger side of the car were on the right hand side of the line.

Constable Kirby told the court that several cars had to swerve quickly to avoid head-on collisions with the defendant's car.

Mr. F. Clancy SM fined Janas \$50 and ordered that his probationary driver's licence be cancelled.

Shots cost him \$100

A man who fired a .22 calibre rifle in the sportsground was fined \$100 and had his rifle and ammunition confiscated in Williamstown Court last week by Mr. F. Clancy SM.

CAVE IN INQUIRY

Williamstown's engineer will investigate to see what can be done about the collapse of part of the footpath in Perry Street, Williamstown.

This was decided at last week's council meeting.

Council received a letter from C.F. and D. M. James, of 12 Perry Street, asking the council to take some action.

They wrote that, because of the cave-in, the stormwater drain under the footpath had broken and caused the downpipes and spouting on their house to rust.

The cave-in, which is about six inches deep, could be a hazard to pedestrians.

New matron at Williamstown

Sister Irene Short (Mrs. J. Evans), who received her general nursing training at the Williamstown Hospital, has been appointed Matron.

EXPERT GIVES ADVICE

Professional photographer, Mr. Ken Green, gave an excellent talk to the Williamstown Camera Club last Thursday night.

He explained how to bring warmth into a picture, the importance of being selective, and how to arrange a photograph so that the brightest colors are in the foreground.

Mr. Green said that early morning and late afternoon were the best times to photograph. HE said that the brightest colors should be in the foreground of a photograph, with the less bright next and the darkest colors in the background.

The Williamstown Camera Club will meet this Thursday at 7.30 p.m. in the Methodist Church Hall, Pascoe Street.

All new members are welcome, and will benefit greatly from the combined camera knowledge available at the club.

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The appointment will take effect from March 1.

Sister Short was an outstanding student and is a qualified midwife and infant welfare sister.

She also has a certificate in the diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat.

She has had extensive training in all aspects of nursing and for the past 11 years, she has been in charge of the Outpatients and Casualty Department, and more recently, has been Deputy Matron.

Sister Short is known within the hospital as a most competent officer.

She was awarded a Florence Nightingale Scholarship to do a Diploma of Nursing Administration conducted by the College of Nursing, Australia.

Because of this new appointment, she will delay taking the course for a couple of years.

Not enough evidence

A charge against an Altona man of failing to give way on the right was dismissed in Williamstown Court last week because police produced insufficient evidence.

Virgilio Crisafi, of 29 Mount Street, Altona, did not appear in court to answer the charge.

Constable Terrence Hayden, of Altona police told the court he was called to the scene of an accident in Millers Road, Altona, on April 16, last year.

He said the driver of one of the cars involved admitted he had failed to give way to the vehicle on his right.

Mr. F. Clancy, SM, ruled that there was insufficient evidence to prove the charge, and dismissed it.

Annual meeting

The Williamstown and District Animal Relief Society will hold its annual meeting on Thursday, March 11, in the Library Hall, Mason Street, Newport.

Dame Mabel Brookes will be speaker at the meeting, which will begin at 8 p.m.

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KEEPING WELL BABIES WELL

Our motto is to keep well babies well, the charge sister of the Altona Infant Welfare Centre, Sister V. Pryce-Jones, said this week.

Indeed, the sign on the welfare centre's door asks mother not to bring sick children to the centre, but to take them to a doctor.

Speaking of Altona, Sister Jones said: "I'm proud of the mothers and babies, particularly the young mothers who do a wonderful job."

"To see the way they clean up and dress their babies. I take it as a personal compliment."

Sister Jones is highly qualified.

TRAINED

She has trained at the best institutions and has been at the centre for nine years.

This record is exceeded only by Sister Heightley who has been there for nine and a half years.

Sister Jones said: "Initially my job is to visit the mothers in hospital after I have been notified of the births and invite them to the centre."

fect the baby under her care.

Sister Jones said: "Most of the work I do here is on psychological rather than physical problems."

"As I said our job is to keep well babies well."

The centre in David Street, Altona, covers a large area from the Grieve Highway and Maidstone Street to the Bayside Village and the sea.

BY CAR

Sister Jones does her rounds by car.

She says: "A lot of this area, particularly near the centre, is populated with RAAF personnel, which brings with it its own type of problems."

"For example as far as I'm concerned I do not

have the opportunity to follow up on a baby who is only in my care for six or 12 months.

Often the moving psychologically, worries the mothers.

"The centre is not only for women. Many fathers come, sometimes seeming more proud than the mothers."

"Some of the husbands come alone for a friendly consultation."

Speaking more specifically about Altonians, Sister Jones said:

"Increasingly I find mothers are generally under the age of 25."

She said there were "a few" under 20, but she did not ask their ages.

She also said Altona mothers seem to be more and more turning to bottle feeding their children.

PROBLEMS

"Later I visit them at home, to see if they have any initial problems."

Last year 420 children were brought to the centre for a total of 5053 visits.

Over the past nine years Sister Jones has seen, measured and inspected every baby born in Altona and talked with their mothers.

The centre caters for children from birth to six years, helping mothers with feeding problems, and their babies' nappie rashes, teething troubles, and the ever present crying in the middle of the night.

Sister Jones said: "One of the biggest problems we have is that most of the fathers are on shift work."

"This causes problems because dad is trying to sleep when the child is most active or crying."

AT WORK

"We can train the mothers, but not the people who look after them while mum is out to work."

"There are few homes to rent, and so mum has to go to work to help buy them."

"Where would they get the money from if they didn't work?"

Some of the work Sister Jones is involved in is counselling the mothers who might have several other children.

They may affect or in-

Church News

WILLIAMSTOWN METHODISTS

Electra Street: 11 a.m.: Mr. R. Winter, 7 p.m.: Rev. A. K. Wilhelms (Holy Communion). John Street: 11 a.m.: Rev. A. K. Wilhelms, 7 p.m.: At Electra Street, Newport: 9.30 a.m.: Rev. P. B. Robson, 7 p.m.: Pastor L. Pope. Spotswood: 10.45 a.m.: Rev. P. B. Robson, 7 p.m.: Mr. R. J. Ensby. Altona: 11 a.m.: Pastor L. Pope, 7 p.m.: Rev. P. B. Robson.

CECIL STREET BAPTIST

"Focus on Somalia" is the Theme of today's BWF ladies' meeting at 1.30 p.m. with a special missionary speaker from Somalia, Africa. They are meeting at 214 Osborne Street and welcome all who would like to come.

Prayer and Bible Study tonight, March 4 at 8 p.m. will be at 95 Hannan Street, Williamstown. We are commencing studies in the book of Romans.

The Women's World Day of Prayer will be meeting in the Baptist Church in Cecil Street at 2 p.m. on Friday. The speaker is Deaconess Rogan.

Our young people have decided on a name "The God Squad". Our first meeting last Friday showed plenty of interest to really examine our beliefs. This Saturday we are going to BYF in Nicholas Hall to see His Land the new color film. Cars leave the Manse at 7 p.m. Next weekend, March 12-14, is our "Training Time" at Fusion, Warburton.

On Sunday evening at 7 p.m. we will be getting to know about life in Somalia by way of slides and information from Miss Anne Donaldson.

Sunday school is 9.45 a.m. and communion service at 11 a.m. when the pastor will speak on "God's Men."

On Labor Day, March

8, we have our church and Sunday school picnic at Werribee.

Prayer and Bible study, March 11, will be at 10/91 Railway Crescent, studying the book of Romans.

For further information the pastor may be contacted at 29 Melbourne Road or 397 7015.

NTH, WILLIAMSTOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST

Prayer and Bible study meeting will be at 8 p.m. on Thursday. A special three-week series of studies under the leadership of Mr. Brenton Wandke (of the Overseas Missionary Fellowship). "Christ and You."

On Friday the CYF meets for a Salamagundi evening at 7.30 p.m. All young people 14 years and over are welcome.

Don't forget the Sunday school picnic on Labor Day (March 8). Buses leave the church at 9.30 a.m. and return by 7 p.m. Place of meeting is the Riddell Recreation Ground and cost \$1 (including meals). Sunday school children do not pay. Under the leadership of Mr. D. Kellond, we are in for a really good time. Don't miss it!

A coffee morning for women is being arranged by the Australian Christian Women's conventions for Wednesday, March 10, commencing at 10 a.m. This church will be the place of meeting, and Miss Jean Raddon will be the speaker. All ladies are urged to attend this meeting with their friends. The magnificent film—His Land will be screened at the gospel service on Sunday, March 14, and all are reminded of this so that the day can be set aside especially. Don't miss this film which graphically portrays the fulfilment of biblical prophecies in modern Israel. Cliff Richard (pop singer) features in the film.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

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Speaker — Deaconess
Rogan.

MARTIN WEDDING



Helen Annette Greer and Paul Anthony Martin are pictured in front of Holy Trinity Parish Church, Williamstown after their marriage on February 27.

Display items needed

The Altona Historical Society plans to hold displays on the activities of local clubs which began before 1946, and needs such items as books, photographs, badges, uniforms and anything else which may convey to viewers what the particular club was about.

The clubs the society has in mind are the hockey club, lifesaving club, the ARP, the RSL, Progress Association, band, scouts, guides, fire brigade, horticultural society, golf, baseball, athletic, cricket, football clubs and the choral society.

If anyone can help, the Historical Society would like to know about it. The secretary's phone number is 389 2090, and if there is no answer, contact the president at 379 3052.

If anyone knows of any other club and has enough information about it (remember it should have started before 1946) the society may be in a position to include that club in the display.

Due to lack of numbers in the society, it is feared that not all these clubs will be adequately covered unless help is forthcoming.

As it will have to be almost taken apart to display this exhibition, the museum cannot be opened again until on or after the starting date of the Arts Festival. Prospective visitors should watch this paper for further notice of when the museum will be open.

The April meeting of the Altona Historical Society will be held on April 14 (the second Wednesday instead of the third). The March meeting will be held at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, March 17. The door can be found on the Pier Street side of the Homestead, 128 Queen Street, Altona.

Helen, a member of the Williamstown Youth Centre for many years, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Greer, of Illawarra Street, Williamstown.

Paul is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Martin of Holloway Street, Newport.

The bride was attended by Miss Janice Wilkins and Miss Paula Jackson.

Best man was brother of the groom, Mr. Robert Martin and groomsmen were Ron Irwin.

A reception was held at Altona Civic Centre.

Photograph by Mr. Stan Kellett, Williamstown.

City of Williamstown GARBAGE COLLECTION LABOUR DAY

Ratepayers are hereby advised that as Monday, 8th March, 1971, is a Public Holiday, Garbage normally collected on that day will be collected on

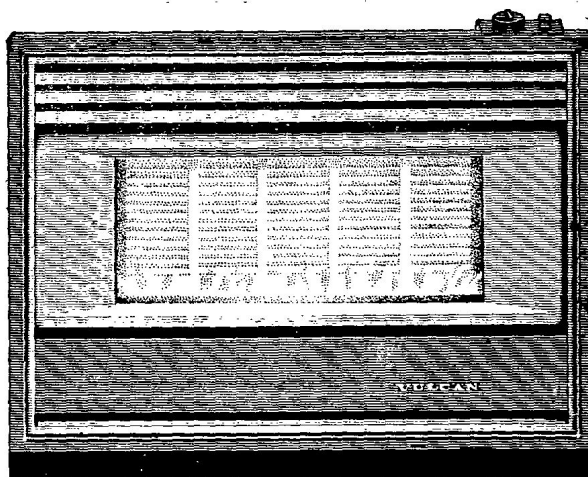
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Work to start on footpath

Williamstown council has given an assurance to the Victoria Manager of Commonwealth Hostels Limited that work will start on construction of a permanent footpath outside the Wiltona Hostel in a week or two.

The manager wrote to council asking when work would start on the project, as his company's preliminary contribution of \$1000 was made to council last August.

The City Engineer, Mr. J. Rees told councillors at last week's meeting that work was scheduled to begin in two or three weeks and would take about a fortnight to complete.

The footpath is from Wiltona Hostel to Mobil Railway Station, on the north side of Kororoit Creek Road.

Marj of the Overland



Local girl, Marjorie Ellis, has a very unusual job — as stewardess aboard The Overland, the overnight train between Melbourne and Adelaide. Marjorie comes from Power Street, North Williamstown.

Burnt classrooms back in action

Rebuilding of burnt out section of Williamstown High School will be completed in the next two weeks.

The rooms will be swung into immediate use because of the record number of new enrollments.

Sue Holmes and Lee Dunstone have been appointed school captains this year.

Two other notices from Williamstown High School calendar are the annual meeting of the Parents and Citizens Association and the Ladies Auxiliary.

The PCA will meet on March 17.

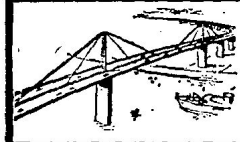
The Ladies Auxiliary will meet in the cookery centre on the second Monday of each month.

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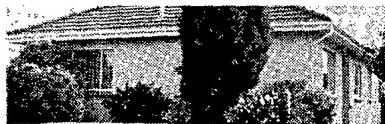
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Williamstown Council has asked its traffic officer to report on a request from a local businessman to have a loading zone created outside 89 Nelson Place, Williamstown.

Mr. D. H. Lees wrote to council requesting that one parking position be abolished and a loading zone be put in its place so that trucks loading and unloading goods outside his doors could park by the kerb.

Mr. Lees is the proprietor of M. A. Ryan and Company of 89 Nelson Place.

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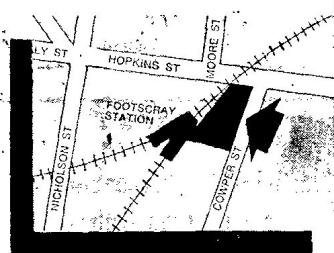
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DEATHS

BYRON Jack (Darkie) — Passed away 23-2-71, respected friend of Bessie and Theo Smith. The thought that we could not say goodbye will always bring regret, cherished are the memories that we hold dear. R.I.P.

HARRIS, Albert George. Passed away 25 Feb. at his home 40 The Broadway, North Altona. Beloved husband of Pauline and loved dad of Carol. Aged 42 years. Rest in peace.

DEATHS

HARRIS, Albert George. — Passed away Feb. 25 at his home. Beloved only son of Beck and Bert and devoted brother of Bonnie, 4 John Street, North Williamstown. He didn't deserve what he went through. A patient sufferer at rest.

HOSKIN, William Owen. On Feb. 20 of 55 Hobson St. Newport. Dearly loved husband of Myra, loving father of Marie (Mrs. Delahunty, Colac), William Bryant (Brisbane) and Bernadette (Mrs. Stanfield, Sydney). Fond father-in-law of Jack, Theresa Barbara and Max. Loving pa of twenty grandchildren. Reunited in Peace.

HOSKIN, — On Feb. 20. Suddenly, at Royal Naval Dockyards in loving memory of Bill from the boys in the blacksmiths shop. A pal sadly missed.

IN MEMORIAM

BROWN, E. M. — Perth 4.3.57. A cluster of beautiful memories the sweetest our hearts can frame, our very loved mother and gran. Irene and Bert Chapman. Herby and Raymond. Terry and Kaye, Frances, David and Lionel.

IN MEMORIAM

COFFEY, Jean. — Passed away March 4, 1965. — In memory of our darling Mum and Nanna. Those who have a mother love her while you may. For how I wish with all my heart That mine was here today. — Loving daughter Jean, son-in-law Joe grandchildren Wayne, Julie.

COFFEY, Jean. — Passed away March 4, 1965. Just a prayer from those who loved you, cherished memories so found and true. — your loving sister and brother-in-law Barara and Harry Freeman.

DIGMAN George. — Passed away 5/3/64. Loved husband of the late Maude, loving father of Mrs. Bonnie Regan, Mrs. Bessie Smith and Mrs. Maude Smith. Not just today but every day we remember. Resting where no shadows fall.

LANGDON (Pryor). — In fond and loving memory of Valerie. Passed away 27.2.62, close to our hearts you will always stay. Loved and remembered every day. Inserted by Auntie Gladys and uncle Jack.

IN MEMORIAM

CURRAN. — In loving memory of our dear mother and father passed away 23rd February, 1937 and September 7th 1956. Life goes on and we cease to cry. Memories remain as time goes by. — Inserted by his loving son, Mark, daughter-in-law Ollie and grandchildren.

PAGE Alex. — Passed away March 2nd 1966. Memories can bring comfort.

When those we love have gone For in our thoughts and in our hearts They always linger on. — Loving wife Win and family.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

STILES — EISELFELDER. — Mr. and Mrs. H. Stiles and Mr. and Mrs. L. Eisfelder wish to announce the marriage of Christine to Brian on Sat. March 6th at Baptist Church, Sargood St., Altona at 4.30 p.m.

THANKS

MARSH — The family of the late Mrs. Rose Marsh with to thank all relatives friends and neighbors for their kind thoughts and expressions of sympathy in the loss of their beloved mother.

WHITE. — The family of the late Mrs. Lily White would like to thank all friends for their kindness floral tributes and condolences. We would specially like to thank Dr. O'Mara, the Altona District Hospital and the Victorian Nursing Service.

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LOST. Beagle female, kiddies pet. Reward, Newport, 391 2929.

LOST Black and white cross breed dog, male 3 years old. Medium size. Answers to Kim. Last seen May St., North Altona Friday, 26th February. Reward, Phone 391 2994.

PUBLIC NOTICES

WILLIAMSTOWN Ladies' Bowling Club. Crazy Whist, Friday March 5, 8 p.m.

WILLIAMSTOWN & District Animal Relief Society's annual meeting will be held on Thursday, March 11th, 8 p.m. At the Library Hall, Mason Street, Newport. The guest speaker will be Dame Mabel Brookes. The talk will be on animal welfare at home and abroad. All animal lovers welcome.

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Three teams in final four

Altona Cricket Club has finished a successful season with three teams in the final four.

The A Grade side finished second in the North A Section of the VJCA. C Grade wound up on top in the North C Section and the Club XI made the four in the Williamstown, Altona and Footscray District Cricket Association.

All three teams will play in semi-finals next weekend, with the two VJCA sides

playing on Saturday and Monday and the Club XI on Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

A Grade will be opposed to La Trobe University away and C Grade will play Kensington United at Altona.

Both sides beat their respective opponents during the season, so they are favored to repeat the performance.

The games start at 12.30 each day, with play finishing at 6 p.m.

Cup final sides evenly matched

Next Sunday's Noordenne Cup final has all the ingredients of the perfect game.

George Cross is the sweet-moving combine, while Sunshine is a fast-raiding side full of running.

On Saturday, Altona turned in a great display to win its way through to Sunday's semi-final.

Western Suburbs had no answer to Altona's late three-goal burst, which took it on to a 5-2 win. Hynes and Herman were the pick of a good side on the day.

However, Saturday's game took its toll, and on Sunday Altona tried hard, but looked leg weary in the warm conditions. The fresh Sunshine side

ran over the top of them to win 2-0.

Hynes played well again for Altona, as did Roberts. The other semi-final was won by George Cross,

which defeated Slavia 2-0 in a fast match.

The curtain-raiser to Sunday's final will be a play-off by the beaten semi-finalists.

Altona Reserve XI had a number of 16-year-olds making their debut on Saturday against Newport.

Despite losing 4-3, they gave a good account of themselves.

Sunday's games: 1.15 p.m., Altona v. Slavia; 3 p.m., Sunshine v. George Cross.

GREAT WINS, ONE LOSS FOR ALTONA BOWLERS

Altona Bowling Club's No. 1 side led the attack this week with a 12-point victory, defeating Sunshine in all four rinks.

The round featured two big wins and one big loss for the club.

No. 2 were defeated by 26 points in their game against Strathmore, while No. 3 defeated Aberfeldie by the enormous margin of 38 points.

Winning rinks in the No. 1 v. Sunshine game: F. Nielson, S. Carton, R. Douglas and J. Stevens, 20-20; W. Walsh, J. Douglas, T. Reid, G. McNeillage, 31-16; J. Fisher, G. Newton, H. Gibson, L. Craig, 26-16; and L. O'Donnell, L. Crofts, J. Flynn, B. Nicholls, 23-36.

Only one rink won in the No. 2 game against Strathmore.

Rink results were: S. Hall, O. Holmes, S. Pil-

cher, R. Allen, 26-25; R. Watson, L. Parkes, A. Hill, E. Franks, 19-24; H. Andrews, J. Buckley, A. Stephenson, L. Hyde, 18-35; T. Oliver, L. Thornycroft, M. Neal, H. Blair, 26-31.

Three rinks up, one down, won the game for No. 3.

Aberfeldie didn't have a chance. C. McDonald, P. Kelly, G. Albertson, J. Rose, 26-11; T. Burke, J. Whyte, H. Martin, J. Booser, 36-16; J. Carr, H. Deacon, W. Probert, C. Millichip, 19-33; W. Inglis, H. Harris, W. Baker, A. Caldwell, 32-15.

Next week No. 1 play Aberfeldie at Altona, No. 2 play Caulfield at Caul-

field and No. 3 play Glenroy at Glenroy.

A 14½ second green, excellent hospitality and a pianist named Vicki were the formula for success during the Altona club's visit to the Altona Workingman's Bowling Club at Seaholme.

After 24 ends of mixed social bowls Altona's team, headed by Frank Nielson won the trophy.

Other team members were Ted Franks, Muriel Kelly and Marge Winder. Best for the Workers were Jack Edgington, Joyce Yates, Elsie Lock and Bill Spence.

TENNIS CHAMP

Former Altona lad, Robert Walker, had a successful day's tennis recently in the Roseberry Tennis Club championships in Tasmania, winning the men's singles, doubles and mixed doubles.

Robert went to Tasmania last October for a year.

He used to play tennis for Altona and Iliston-Esplanade tennis clubs, and is now training to play football for the Roseberry district.

LITTLE ATHLETICS

Stephen Smith wins two more golds

Stephen Smith, the current Westona boy champion won two more gold medals at the Centre Championships last Saturday with a magnificent performance in the triple jump.

Stephen jumped 8.33 metres to better the Victorian record by seven centimetres.

He also won a gold medal for his excellent time of 1 min. 13.2 secs. in the under 9-boys 400 metre event, which was only 5.4 secs. outside the current Victorian record.

Stephen was also a member of the Westona team which won the under 9 boys - 4 x 400 metre relay event for which he also received a gold medal.

Events conducted for the girls were highlighted by the excellent performances of D. Ridge, who won the girls under 9 - 70 metres in 10.6 secs.

This was only two-tenths of a second outside the Victorian record, and in the 200 metres event she dashed to the tape in 33.7 secs. to win her two gold medals.

Robin Osborne of the Westona club scooped another two medals with noteworthy performances in the girls under 12 long jump with a leap of 4.10 metres and the 400 metres which she ran in the time of 1 min. 10.3 secs.

Graham Sullivan of the St. Mary's Club gave a dashing performance in the boys under 12 - 100 metres event, in which he won a gold medal with a brilliant time of 13.2 secs.

This compares very favorably with the Victorian record of 12.9 secs.

G. Bone also of St. Mary's secured a well deserved gold medal for an excellent performance in winning the boys under 11 - 100 metres event in 13.9 secs. only seven-tenths of a second outside the Victorian record.

Saturday's meeting was attended by a larger adult following which was a pleasing feature as many onlookers were prepared to assist in running the meeting and helping with the preparation of the ground.

The championships will continue over the next two weeks and there is still time for children to enter the events yet to be contested.

Applications should be made to team managers who will arrange the col-

lection of entry fees at 10 cents for each event, with a maximum of 30 cents for a maximum of five events.

The executive would appreciate assistance from as many parents as possible over the next two weeks in preparing the ground which commences at 7.15 a.m. on Saturday morning. Assistance is also sought in replacing equipment at the conclusion of competition.

On Sunday, February 21, 63 Westona Club members took part in the fourth annual Westona club championship.

A medalion and performance card were presented to each competitor, while trophies were presented to the following club champions:

GIRLS

Under 9, R. Penfold; Under 10, J. Rice; Under 11, V. Clark; Under 12, R. Osborne; Under 13, G. Wishart.

BOYS

Under 9, S. Smith; Under 10, D. Roosenboom; Under 11, M. Perry; Under 12, P. Wilshear; Under 13, J. Clark.

4 x 400 metres relay:

Heat 1 - G. Morris, G. McWilliams, A. Dyball, Heat 2 - T. Higgins, G. Burnett, D. O'Brien, Heat 3 - D. Schmidt, G. Yates, A. Clements.

Points award for the year:

Girls - R. Osborne, 1; V. Clarke, 2; Boys - S. Smith, 1; P. Wilson, 2.

The trophy for the best performance for the year was awarded to Robin Osborne in the girls' section and to Stephen Smith in the boys' section.

Results of the championships are:

UNDER 9

GIRLS

Shot put: J. Lilaj, K. Condon, D. Martin. 70 metres: Heat 1 - J. Lokaj, T. Kingcott, A. Evans, Heat 2 - D. Ridge, A. Thompson, K. Fraser.

Heat 3 - S. Curran, L. Donnelly, D. Stephens, Heat 4 - H. Broadley, R. Forbes, C. Davies.

70 metres final: D. Ridge, A. Thompson, S. Curran.

200 metres: Heat 1 - D. Ridge, D. Sullivan, K. Swadling, Heat 2 - D. Martin, D. Sullivan, Heat 3 - S. Curran, T. Kingcott, H. Broadley.

200 metres final: D. Ridge, D. Martin, S. Curran.

BOYS

Triple jump: S. Smith, G. Rogers, G. Burnett. Discus: G. Burnett, N. Bassett, S. Smith.

400 metres final: S. Smith, W. Dolan, A. Dyball.

UNDER 10

GIRLS

High jump: J. Rice, W. Vanderveen, L. Manger. 800 metres walk final: E. Bonser, K. Thompson, Cave.

200 metres: Heat 1 - J. Rice, W. Vanderveen, J. Roadley, Heat 2 - J. Marks, C. Bone, D. Spicer.

200 metres final: J. Marks, J. Rice, J. Roadley.

BOYS

High jump: P. Daley, D. Roosenboom, C. Kaye.

Long jump: N. Condon, S. Baxter, R. Higgins. 400 metres final: R. Higgins, J. Smales, M. Dennerley.

UNDER 11

GIRLS

Discus: J. Abfalter, L. Forbes, J. Ryan.

200 metres: Heat 1 - S. Forbes, J. Ryan, J. Abfalter, Heat 2 - C. Bentley, C. Golacki, C. Tarascio, Heat 3 - L. Forbes, S. Dillon, J. Stanley, Heat 4 - Y. Camilleri, D. Wood, J. George.

200 metres semi-final: Heat 1 - S. Forbes, J. Ryan, L. Forbes, Heat 2 - C. Bentley, D. Wood, J. George.

4 x 400 metres relay: Heat 1 - B. Ryan, D. Richards, K. Beard, Heat 2 - S. McWilliams, J. George, V. Clark, Heat 3 - J. Emmins, C. Harrison, R. Worthing.

200 metres final: J. Ryan, S. Forbes, L. Forbes.

BOYS

Triple jump: M. Perry, C. Bassett, R. Rchm.

100 metres: Heat 1 - M. Perry, A. White, P. Chapman, Heat 2 - J. Anset, M. Dennerley, L. Scammie, Heat 3 - G. Bone, R. Rohn, S. Fraser, Heat 4 - S. Bazga, M. Lockard, M. O'Donohue and D. Williams.

100 metres final: G. Bone, S. Bazga, M. Dennerley.

800 metres final: P. Curran, K. Vogan, G. Edmunds.

4 x 100 metres relay: Heat 1 - G. Bone, B. Ridge, C. Bassett, Heat 2 - S. Bazga, R. Rohn, G. Blake, Heat 3 - D. Williams, S. Fraser, M. Dennerley.

UNDER 12

GIRLS

Long jump: R. Osborne, T. Baum, G. Moylan. 400 metres final: R. Osborne, G. Moylan, K. Bone.

200 metres: Heat 1 - K. Cheswright, S. Smith, L. Collins, Heat 2 - D. MacLeod, S. Hogbin, D. Vernon.

200 metres final: K. Cheswright, D. MacLeod, S. Hogbin.

BOYS

Shot put: D. Barling, B. Hosen, H. Clissold.

100 metres: Heat 1 - G. Sullivan, J. McDonald, D. Manger, Heat 2 - R. Dennerley, G. McKenzie, G. Cameron.

100 metres final: G. Sullivan, R. Dennerley, J. Donald.

800 metres final: G. Thompson, G. Warr, R. Hargreaves.

100 metres relay: Heat 1 - J. MacDonald, R. Dennerley, G. McKenzie, Heat 2 - J. Broadley, G. Sullivan, J. Rafferty.

UNDER 13

GIRLS

Shot put: P. Jowett, T. Angus.

800 metres walk: L. Clement, T. Angus, S. McKee. 100 metres final: P. Jowett, G. Wishart, M. Vandenling.

4 x 400 metres relay: S. Martin, S. Beard, S. McKee.

BOYS

Triple jump: J. O'Donohue, D. Manger, R. Geisler.

800 metres final: D. Whiffin, S. Dolan, W. Gilpin.

100 metres final: R. Manger, A. Geisler, W. Gilpin.

Class leaders take honors in boat races

Last weekend saw another full round of racing for the Altona Yacht Club, with leaders in the various classes taking the honors again.

Next weekend will see the best Heron skippers in the State sailing in the State championships. These start at 11 a.m. on Saturday and go until Monday. About 70 boats

have been entered, and spectators will be assured of a spectacle never before seen in Altona. This is the largest fleet ever assembled at the yacht club.

Football officials made life members

Two members of the Western Suburbs Colts Football League were awarded Life Membership of the league at the recent annual meeting.

They are president, Mr. W. Smith, and assistant secretary, Mr. W. O'Dwyer, who have given the league valuable service ever since it started.

Office bearers elected at the meeting were Mr. W. Smith, president; Mr. W. Knight, sen. vice-president; Messrs. Hanson, Dower, Sleeman, Wall, Clark and O'Dwyer, vice-presidents; Mr. R. Silk, secretary-treasurer; Mr. W. O'Dwyer, assistant secretary, and Mr. C. Clark, registrar.

It was decided at the meeting that the age groups - under 12 and under 14 - would remain the same, at least until 1976.

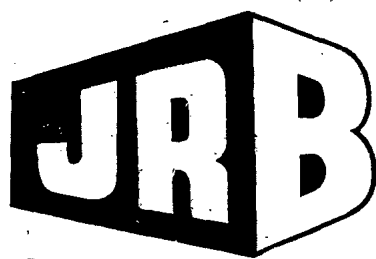
Anyone interested in umpiring in the league this season will be most

welcome because experienced or inexperienced umpires are always needed.

The league's panel of dedicated umpires offer their services free, which means the boys can get a game of football at low cost.

The boys play on Saturday mornings. Anyone interested in umpiring should contact the secretary.

The 1971 season starts on April 17 and team tries close with the secretary on Wednesday, March 17.



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